

THE ROBERTS

Petroleum Torpedo

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Heretofore we have in our circuit, alluded to a series of experiments being made with Nitro Glycerine and other explosives. We now announce that we have succeeded, even beyond our most sanguine expectations, in regards the safety handling, also the unprecedented force and power manifested by a skillful and experienced chemist.

the size of the Torpedo is lessened and the force many times multiplied and are now prepared to operate on wells with any of the above named explosives - either with our improved combination - our old Combination Torpedo, which has a record of utility too well known to need mention here.

CAUTION.—The public is cautioned against obtaining any but the regularly authorized agents of this company, since their patent, according to the recent decision of the Commissioner of Patents for the United States, covers all the use of such materials in all other constructive materials for all walls, and the use of such materials by other parties is a direct infringement of their rights, and we shall hold them or working interests to a strict liability for such infringement.

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TARA FARM, June 12, 1966.
 Col. E. A. L. ROBERTS: Dear Sir: Yours of the 11th instant, asking for information as to the results from the Torpedo well, is received. The Torpedo well is now on the farm, is at hand, and we take great pleasure in making the following statement, based upon our own observation and the interest of the wells mentioned below.
 First, The Tara Homestead Company have had Torpedos exploded in the Devine and Kingsley wells. The results of the explosion of the Torpedo in the Kingsley well, nearly 150 barrels, taken together, but they decreased until both were yielding, but about 8 barrels per day. After the explosion of the Torpedo, both wells were producing about 100 barrels per day, but at which rate they will continue.
 Second, Keynote well. This well pumped at its high point about 40 barrels per day, decreased to

Third, The Bureau well. Had pumped as high as 80 barrels per day. The Torpedo was increased to 10 barrels per day. The Torpedo was increased to 10 barrels per day. The Torpedo was increased to 10 barrels per day.

W. M. HURD states that in his well all the entire pressure was raised in two days, and he believes all that was possible. He says that the pressure in the well is increasing, as nearly as we can learn from the eight wells mentioned above, taken together, is fully 100 per cent. over the highest point these wells ever reached before the explosion. He says that the pressure in the well is now at the time the Torpedo was exploded in them, 540 barrels total before the explosion and 640 after such results cannot fail to be satisfactory in the highest grade. Yours, respectfully,

B. HAWES, KERR & CO.

Testimony for Oil Wells—Messrs. HURD and TORPES—Colonel Roberts is constantly receiving communications upon the success of his invention for rescuing abandoned wells and increasing the production of oil. He has been successful in rescuing many wells that were supposed to be lost, and in increasing the production of many wells that were supposed to be exhausted.

oil results can scarcely be overrated. The following
certificates are from two well-known producers at 10-
cent prices. They show clearly how easy it is to the success of
an application is perfectly conservative.

This is to certify that we have had Torpedos explo-
ded in our wells to this date with the following results:

Barrels: 22; production: well no. 16, increased produc-
tion 25% barrel; Hawkinsville, increased production 75%
barrel (22 barrels); well on lease 21, increased produc-
tion thirty-five (35) barrels daily.

We are now using "Robur's Torpedo" to
interested in oil, as we have not met with a single
failure, and believe the Torpedo to be of greater practical
value than any invention introduced in the produce
of oil.

L. M. CRAWFORD & SONS,
A. C. HAWKINS

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Wells, whose names are heretofore annexed, do certify that they are acquainted with the well located on the Moudern, and known as the "Daini Imae No. 23"—now known as the "Daini Imae No. 22"—which has been in operation down about five months and has been thoroughly tested in all practicable ways without obtaining any oil, but, as a last resort, the owners of the well applied to Gulistan Superintending Engineer, and he has granted them a license to operate on the well. The explosion of two Torpedoes in the third sand-trap resulted in the production of a daily yield of from sixty to eighty gallons of oil. In the fourth sand-trap, the Torpedoes consumed the oil of the Molberta Torpedoes to all wells near whose wells are either dry holes or have ceased to produce. We consider this to be a sufficient evidence of the fact that the oil is not so plentiful as is claimed, and is not so easily obtained as is averred by the conversion of a well from one of no value whatever to one worth any thousand dollars. (Signed)

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